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: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR AUTOMATIC LOCATION OF BLOOD FLOW

WITH DOPPLER ULTRASOUND

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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Sir:

Applicants acknowledge receipt of the Office Action dated March 19, 2007, and herewith petition the Commissioner for Patents under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)(3) for a three-month extension of time for filing this response from June 19, 2007, to September 19, 2007. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the fee of \$510, which includes the cost of the extension, to Deposit Account No. 50-1266. Any deficiency or overpayment should be charged or credited to Deposit Account No. 50-1266.

Please amend the above-captioned patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 13 of this paper.